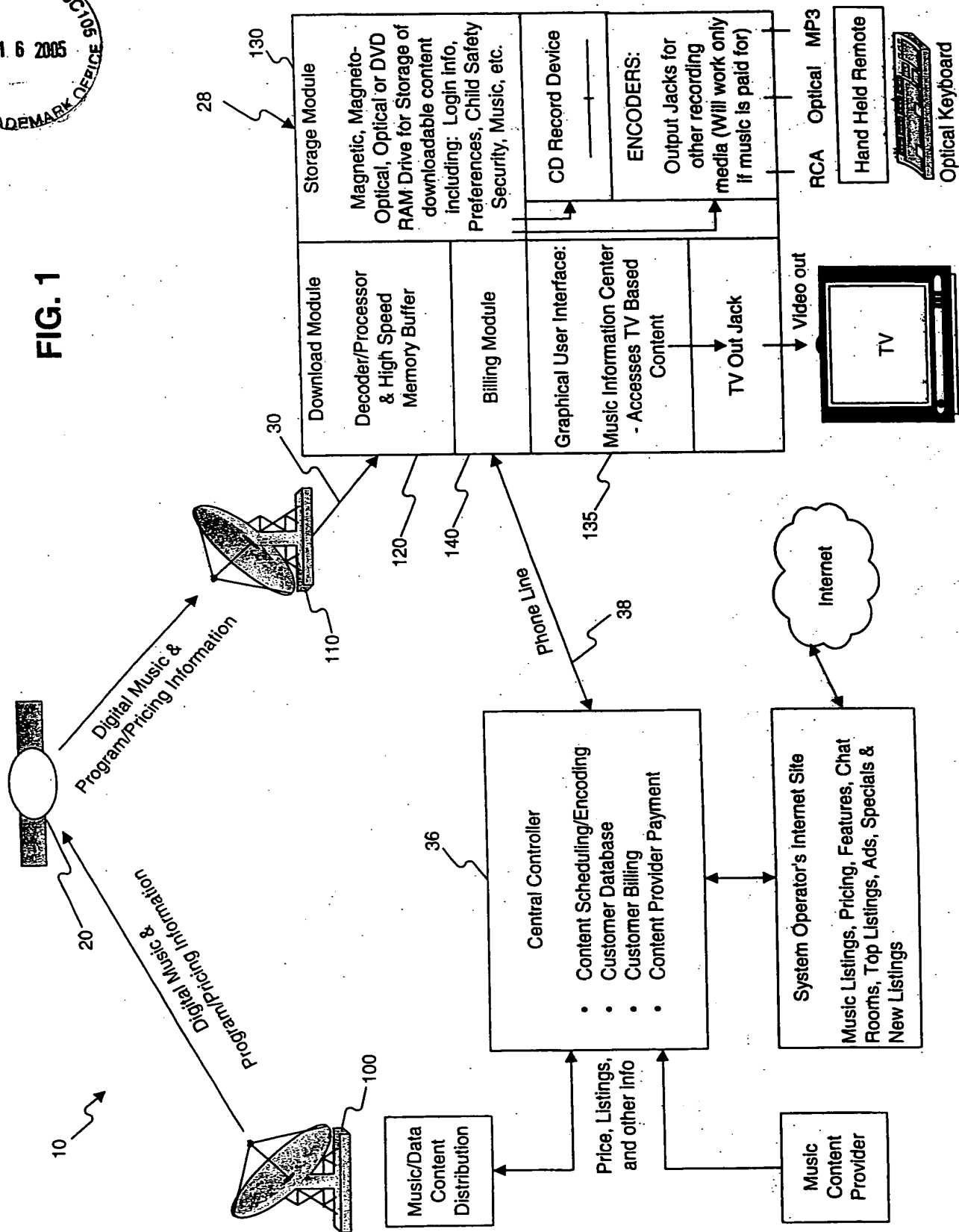




FIG. 1



Step	Mode Name	Description	Hardware Involved
1	Selection	Customer looks at recently updated "catalog" of available music selections on his TV using the graphical user interface. Use remote to page through information.	User station, remote, customer TV, stored catalog
2	Ordering	Customer uses user station, remote and TV screen to order standard or customized CD. Order communicated to central controller by Internet or modem. Central controller issues decoding and encryption key(s), selection locations and order number to user station for preview.	User station, modem/Internet, remote, customer TV
3	Downloading	Music selections are downloaded during early morning transmission hours as encrypted, compressed files through customer's satellite dish and receiver to hard disk in user station. User station selects correct TV channel on receiver using IR link.	User station, satellite receiver, video output interface
4	Decoding	User station uses decoding key(s) to decode downloaded file(s) so that full quality music is on disk drive (or other storage medium) in user station. Customer order number is hidden within this music based upon encryption information received during ordering process.	User station
5	Previewing	Brief portions of downloaded selections may be "previewed" by the customer along with the entire selection that has been "hobbled" by removing information to degrade music quality and prevent reconstruction of music.	User station, remote, customer's amp, speakers and TV
6	Playing	Customer plays full-quality selection through his hi-fi or TV sound system with post billing back his account via later modem/Internet communication with the central controller. Playing may include graphics, written jacket information, or hearing impaired cues shown on customer's TV.	User station, remote, customer's amp, speakers and TV
7	CD Delivery	Full-quality CD that can be heard on any CD player is burned with order number (ID tag) hidden in the music. (Burning process does not need to be quick.)	User station, CD burner, customer supplied CD
	Account Setup	Happens when customer buys and hooks up the user station.	

FIG. 2

FIG. 3

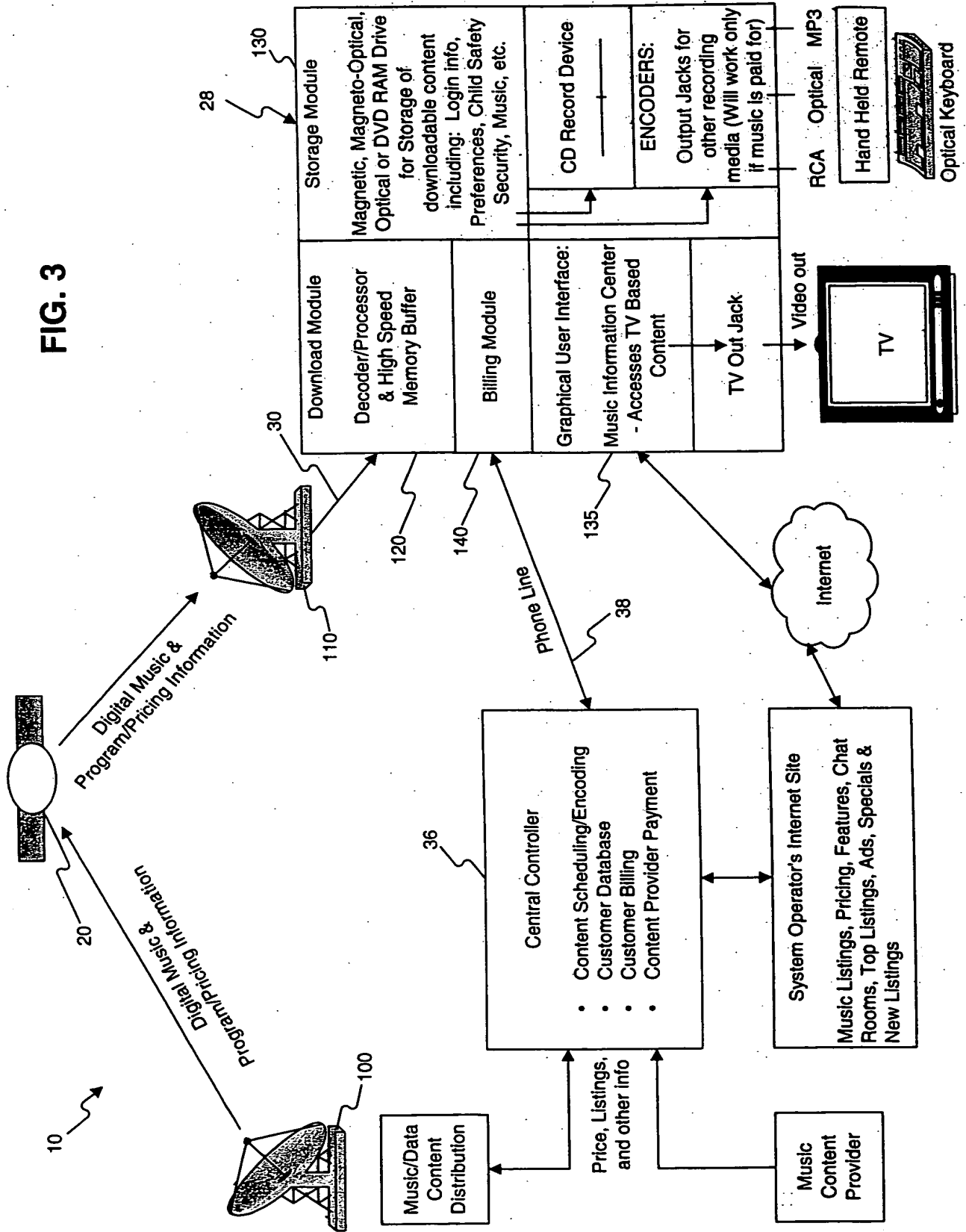
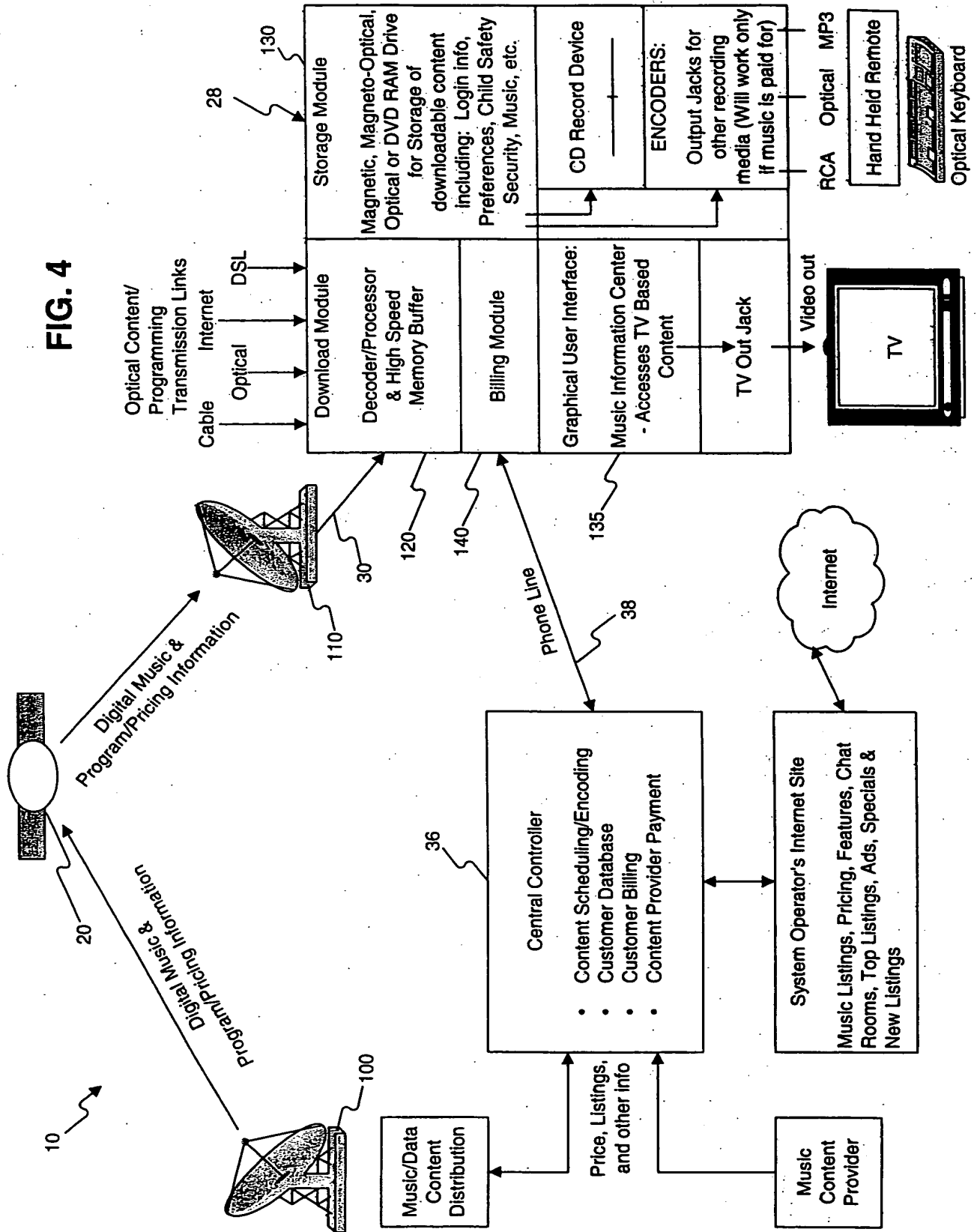


FIG. 4



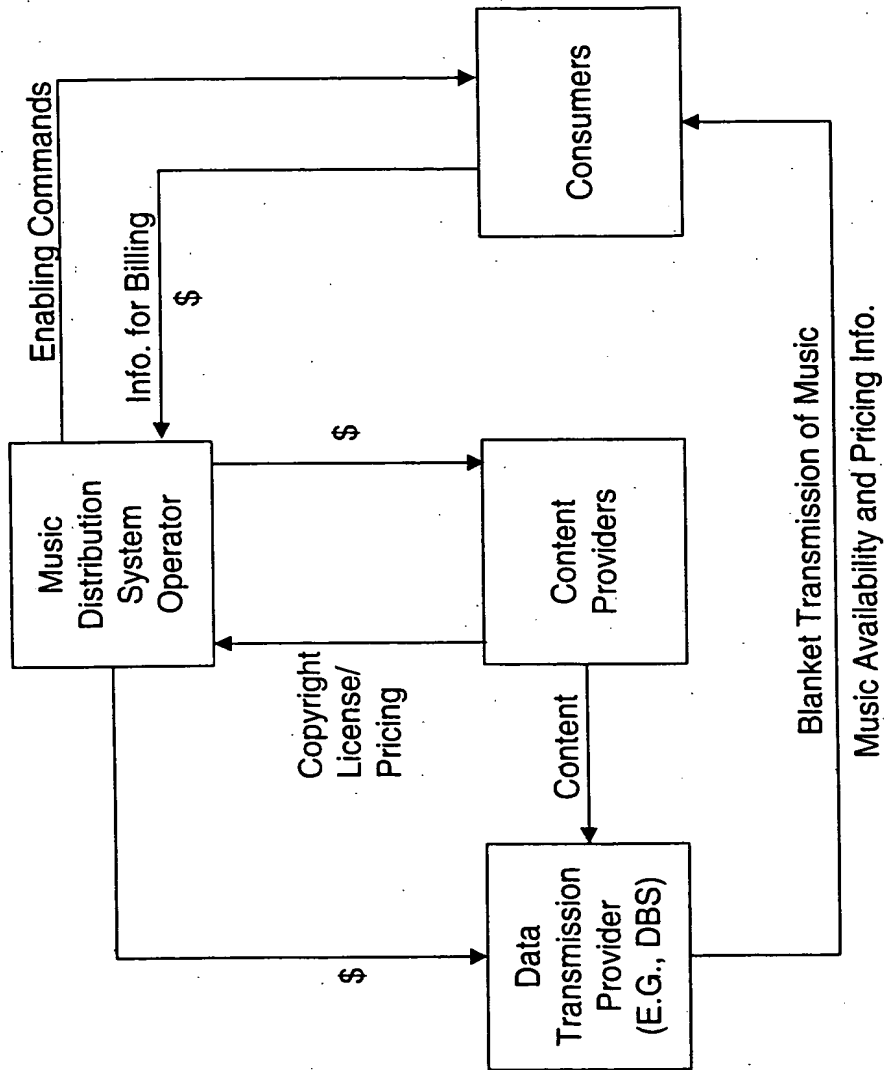


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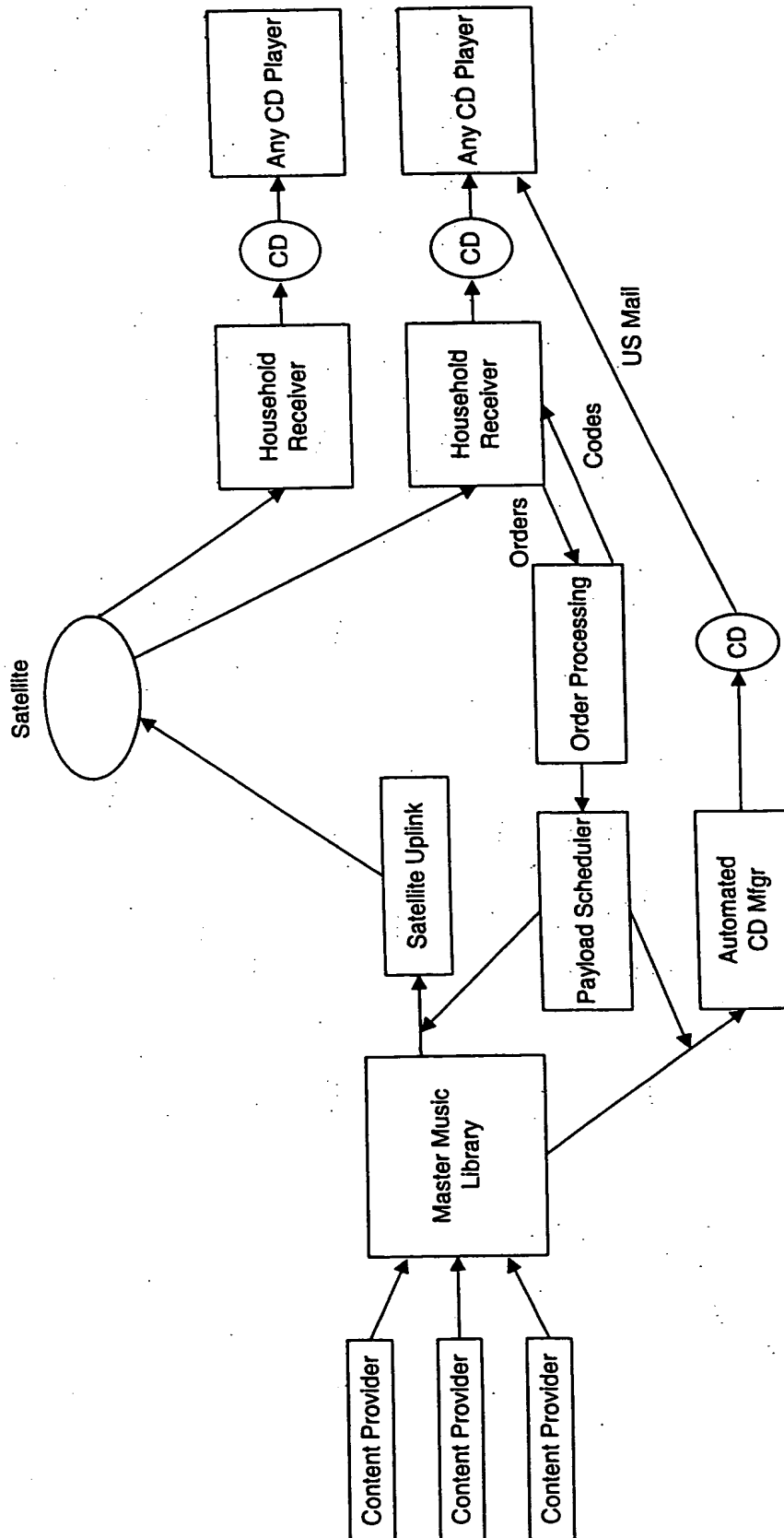


FIG. 6

Top Requested Music Streaming During the Day

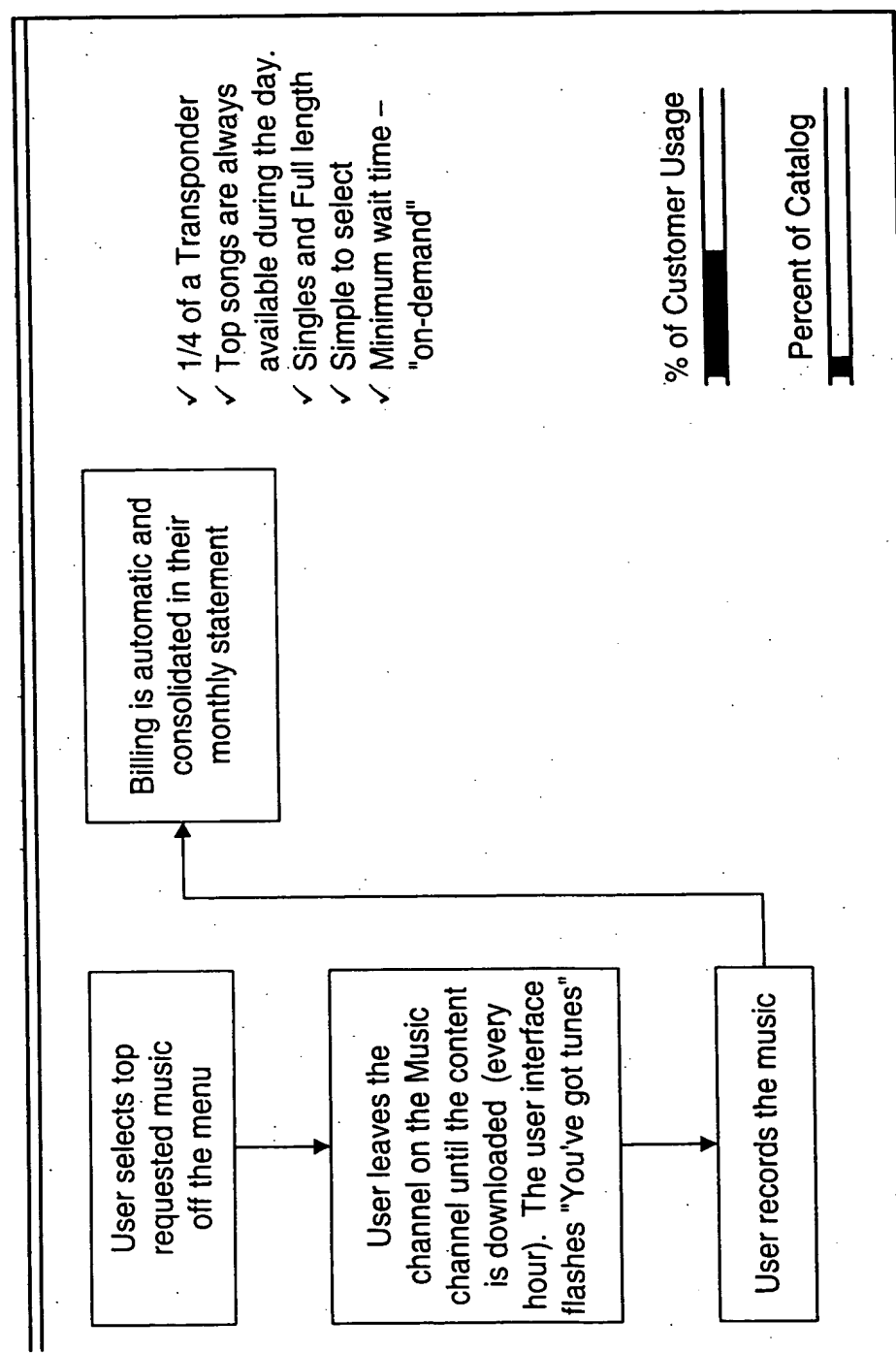


FIG. 7

Fulfilling Orders By Batch Stream at Night

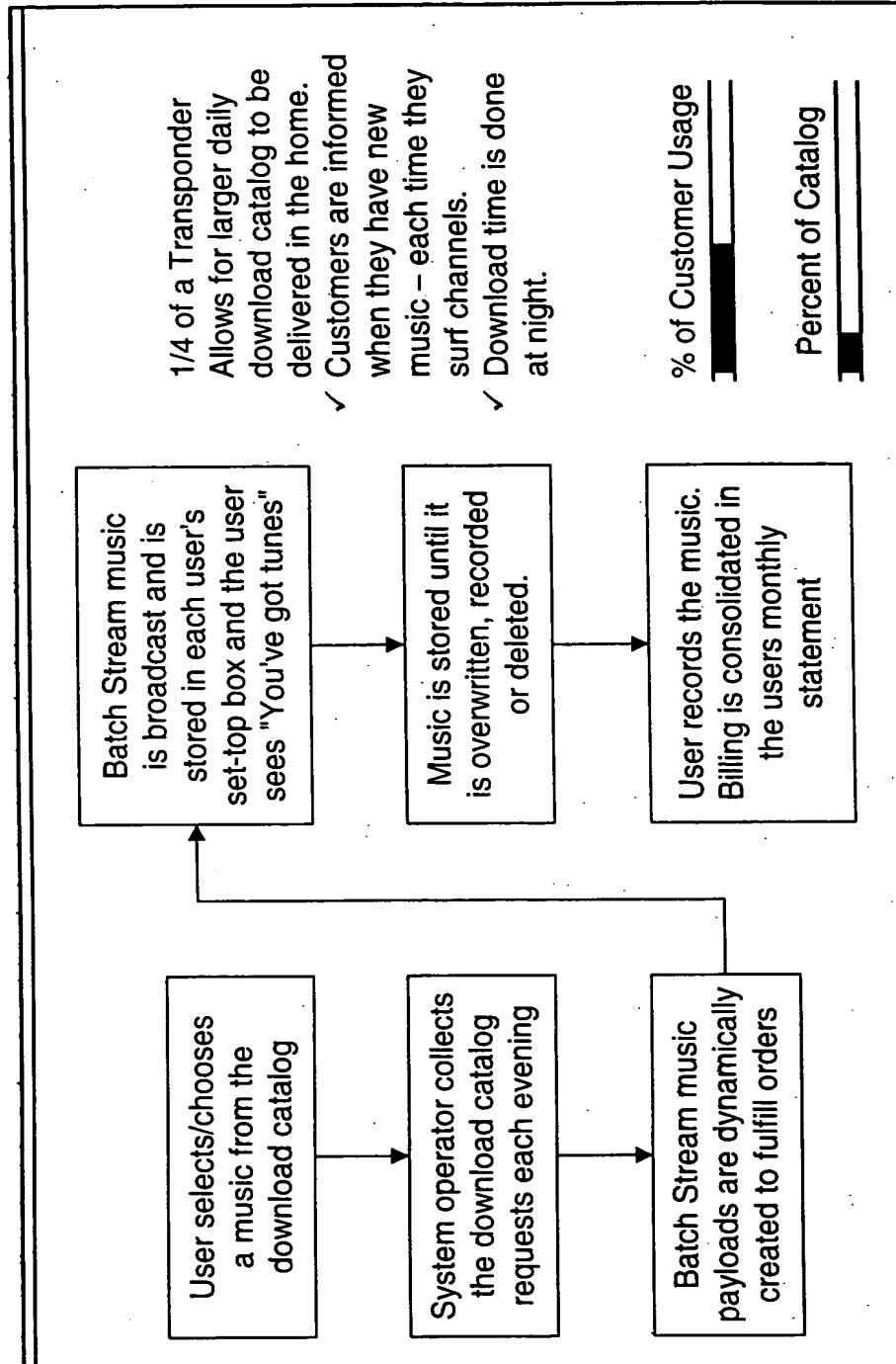


FIG. 8

Select Music Style Preferences

- Alternative
 - Blues
 - Books & Spoken
 - Children's Music
 - Christian & Gospel
 - Classical
 - Country
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- Comedy
 - Dance & DJ
 - Easy Listening
 - Electronic
 - Folk
 - Hip Hop/Rap
 - International
- Jazz
 - Latin
 - Metal
 - New Age
 - Opera & Vocal
 - Pop & Rock
 - R&B/Soul

Fig. 9

Step 1 - Select a Style

Alternative
Blues
Books & Spoken
Children's Music
Christian & Gospel
Classical
Country
Comedy
Dance & DJ
Easy Listening
Electronic
Folk
Hip Hop/Rap
International
Jazz
Latin
Metal
New Age
Opera & Vocal
Pop & Rock
R&B Soul

Step 1 - Select a Subgroup

Δ All by Song
 Δ All by Artist/Group
 Δ Female Artists
 Δ Male Artists
 Δ Bands
 Δ Top 20 Artists
 this month
 Δ Top 20 Songs
 this month

Step 1 - Select an Artist

► Artist 1
► Artist 2
► Artist 3
► Artist 4
► Artist 5
► _____

Fig. 10

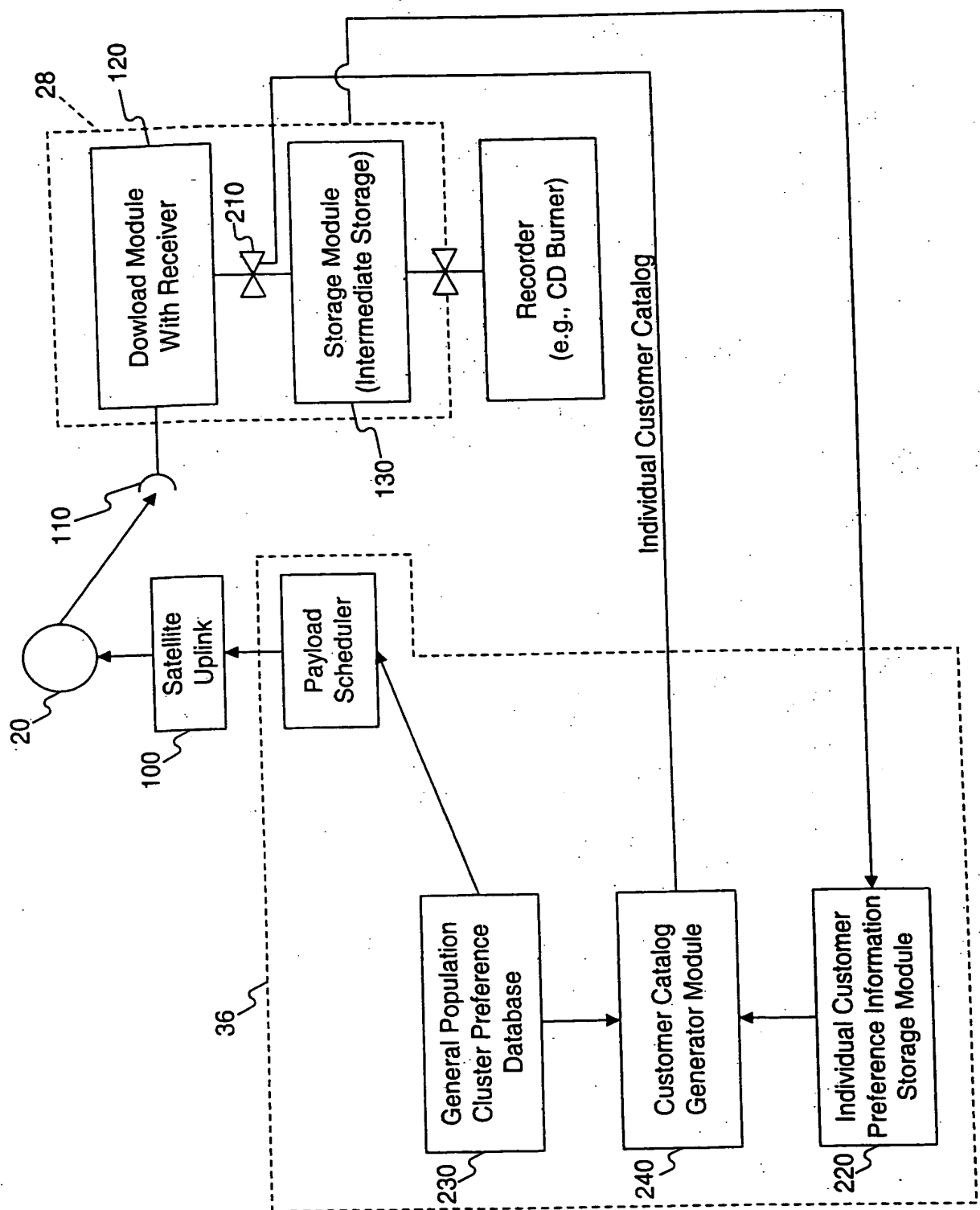


Fig. 11

Profile-based Streaming

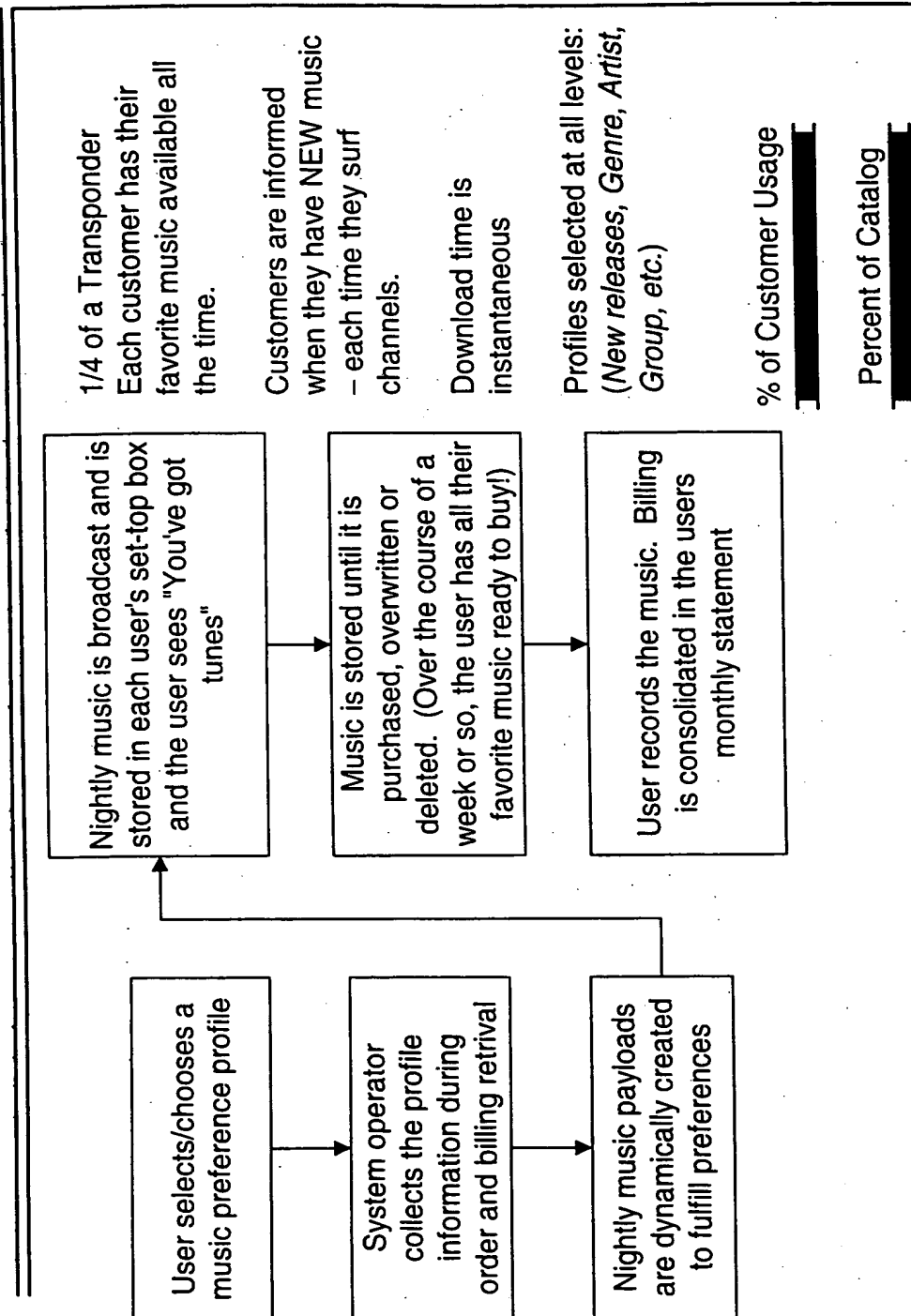


Fig. 12

Promotion-based Streaming

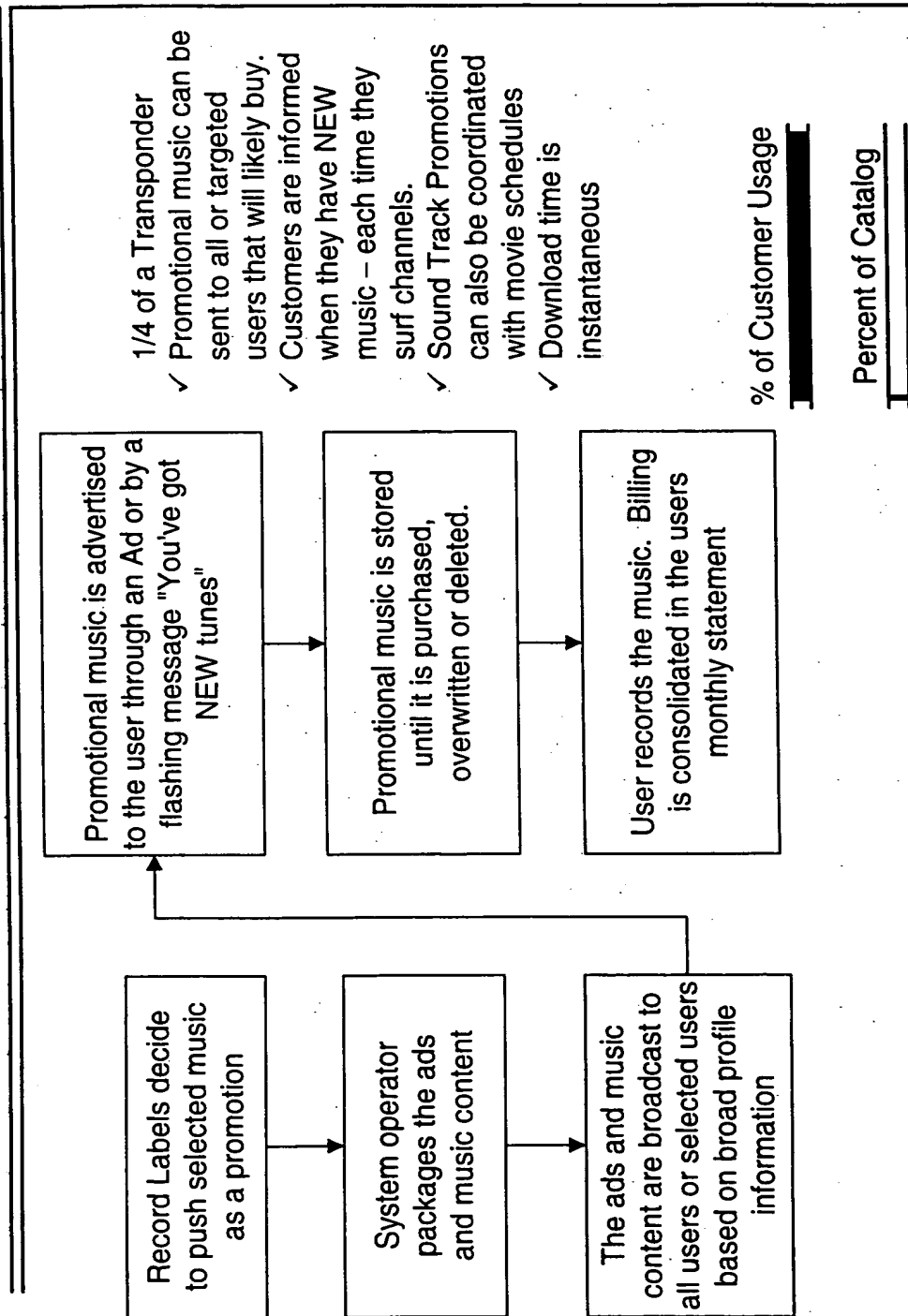


Fig. 13

Quick-Ship Overnight

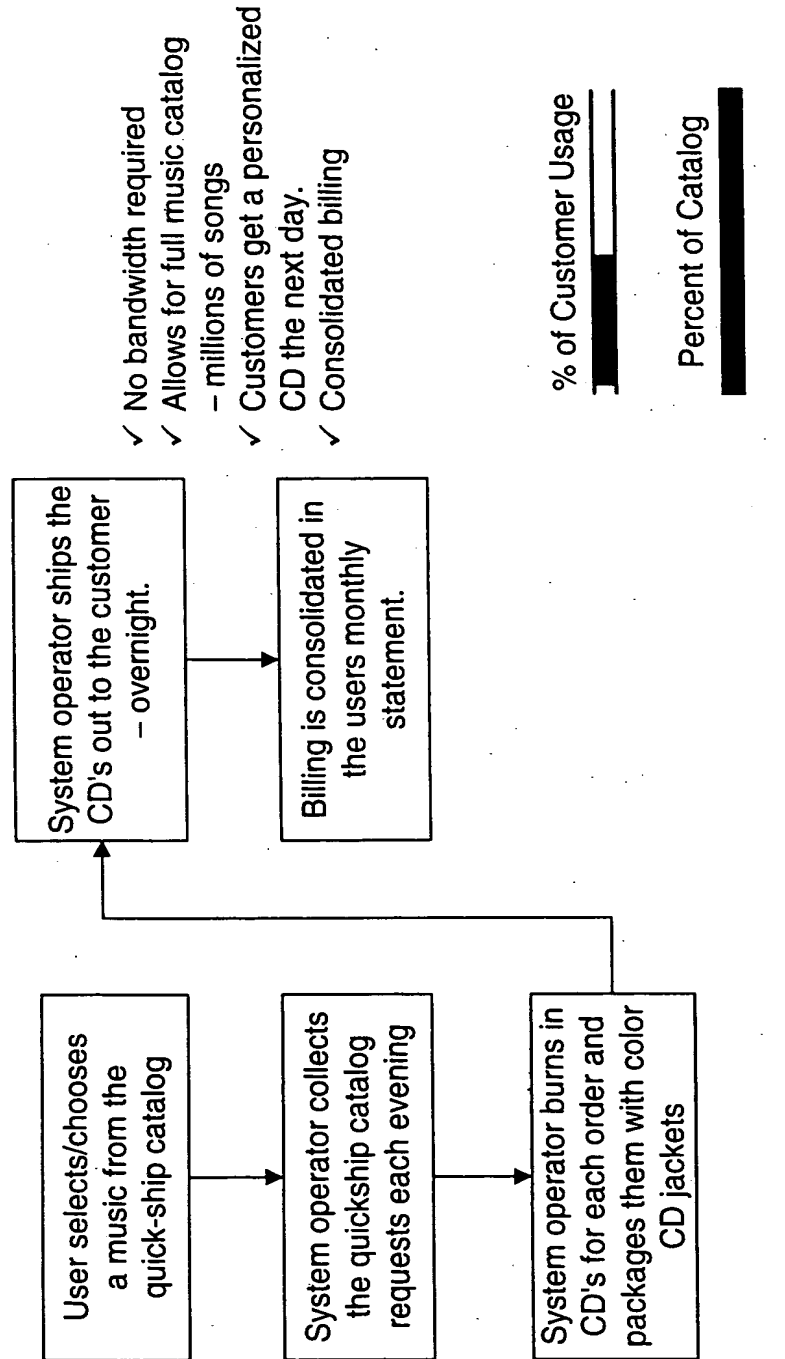


FIG. 14

	Customers w/o CD Burner	Customers with CD Burner
Steaming during the day (Top releases from download catalog)		✓
Batch stream at night (All ordered releases from download catalog)		✓
Profile based stream at night (Releases from full library "Quick-ship" catalog)		✓
Promotion based Stream (Promotional music pushed by Record Label)		✓
Quick-ship overnight (Full library catalog)	✓	✓

FIG. 15